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1. [] LIAISON Cliff Fowler, GAO, called to confirm that he and the other GAO representatives will meet with Agency representatives at Headquarters on Wednesday, 19 July at 9:00 a.m. to discuss the Agency's comments to the GAO draft report on []

2. [] LIAISON [] PCS/[] and [] reviewed GAO's proposed statement on its investigation of alleged Nazi war criminals at the office of Messrs. Stanton and Tipton, GAO. GAO accepted the changes we suggested to accurately reflect the procedures which were followed in GAO's review of CIA documents.

3. [] LIAISON Jim Gray, in the office of Representative Lamar Gudger (D., N. Car.), called to say that he had met with [] scientist-dissident. Gray reports that [] has a whole package of new letters to send to President Carter and others protesting the recent Soviet trials. Gray has suggested he send the package to CIA. Gray is also willing to help in any way necessary to [] I thanked him for the information.

4. [] LIAISON John Stirk, in the office of Senator Robert B. Morgan (D., N. Car.), called to say that a periodical entitled "Intelligence Digest Weekly Review" contains an article concerning the U.S. turnover of Wrangel Island to the Russians. Stirk wants to know if we have any information on this.

He also wants to know if the Director intends to respond to Senator Morgan's letter concerning security clearances. I told him we would be back to him on both matters.

5. [] LIAISON Per her request of 14 July, sent via mail to Christine Haney, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, a copy of the publication entitled "Changing Patterns in the Soviet-LDC Trade, 1976-77."

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6. [REDACTED] LIAISON Took a call from John Nields, Chief Counsel, House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct. Nields said that a Committee staff member [REDACTED] looking for an analytical intelligence job. Nields asked whether we could do anything to help put this individual in contact with someone knowledgeable about the Agency's personnel needs. I told Nields that I thought we probably could be helpful and that I would be back in touch with him.

7. [REDACTED] Took a call from Beverley Lumpkin, on the staff of the House International Relations Subcommittee on International Organizations, who informed me that Subcommittee Chairman Donald M. Fraser (D., Minn.), in accordance with the Amendment to the Addendum to the Memorandum of Understanding between himself and the DCI, had just sent Legislative Counsel Frederick P. Hitz a letter requesting that designated Subcommittee staff member Larry Sulc and Subcommittee staff member Gordon Freedman be permitted to interview CIA staff officer [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] on 24 July 1978. After consulting with [REDACTED] PCS, I spoke with Ms. Lumpkin again and reminded her that our previous understanding had been that [REDACTED] would be available for an interview at Headquarters during August. I told Ms. Lumpkin that [REDACTED] responsibilities in the field were heavy and that an interview [REDACTED] would also present certain logistical and security problems. Ms. Lumpkin said that the Subcommittee would be agreeable to delaying the interview until August when [REDACTED] would be available in Washington.

8. [REDACTED] LIAISON Jim Lofton, in the office of Representative James G. Martin (R., N. Car.), called to find out whether [REDACTED] is a CIA employee, as he alleged to a senior banking official from Representative Martin's district. [REDACTED] had requested an interview with the banker. After checking with [REDACTED] PCS, I confirmed to Mr. Lofton that [REDACTED] is a CIA employee [REDACTED]

9. [REDACTED] EMPLOYMENT REQUEST Received a call from Minor Elson, in the office of Representative Doug Walgren (D., Pa.), requesting an interview for [REDACTED] who will be a senior in high school in September. The interview was set for Thursday (20 July 1978) at 3:00 with [REDACTED]